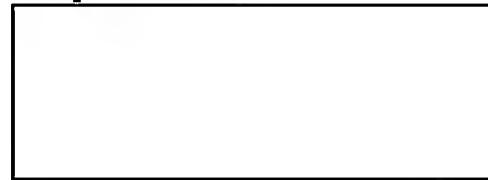


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ARAB STATES - ISRAEL: A NEW EGYPTIAN-ISRAELI EXCHANGE OF VIEWS VIA UN MEDIATOR JARRING MAY BE UNFOLDING IN NEW YORK.

ON 16 OCTOBER ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTER EBAN PASSED TO JARRING A LENGTHY DOCUMENT GIVING ISRAELI VIEWS ON A SETTLEMENT WITH THE UAR.

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25X1 ALTHOUGH EGYPTIAN FOREIGN MINISTER RIYAD INITIALLY TOOK A VERY STIFF POSITION ON WHAT HE CALLED THE "VERY LONG AND DEPRESSING" DOCUMENT, HE HAS PROMISED JARRING A WRITTEN REPLY WITHIN A FEW DAYS. ANOTHER HIGH EGYPTIAN OFFICIAL WAS SOMEWHAT MORE FORTHCOMING IN TALKS WITH US OFFICIALS LATER AND SAID THAT CAIRO WANTED TO KEEP THE JARRING MISSION GOING. EBAN PLANS TO RETURN TO JERUSALEM FOR CONSULTATIONS NEXT WEEK, PERHAPS TO TRY TO GET MORE SPECIFICS FROM THE ISRAELI CABINET.

JARRING BELIEVES THE JORDANIANS ARE READY, WITH NASIR'S BLESSING, FOR DIRECT TALKS WITH ISRAEL UNDER HIS AEGIS, BUT ARE STILL WAITING FOR THE ISRAELIS TO SAY THEY ACCEPT THE NOVEMBER 1967 SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION AND FOR A CLEAR VIEW OF WHAT THE ISRAELIS HAVE IN MIND AS TO "SECURE BORDERS" WITH JORDAN.

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GREECE: FORMER GREEK PRIME MINISTER KARAMANLIS
MAY TRY TO MAKE A POLITICAL COMEBACK.

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KARAMANLIS IS PLANNING TO FORM A COMMITTEE OF EXILED GREEK POLITICIANS--INCLUDING ANDREAS PAPANDREOU--WHO WILL SUBMERGE PERSONAL DIFFERENCES TO THE COMMON END OF EVENTUALLY OUSTING THE JUNTA. KARAMANLIS, CURRENTLY IN EXILE IN PARIS, PROFESSES TO BELIEVE THAT HE WILL HAVE WIDE PUBLIC SUPPORT IN GREECE ONCE HIS PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED.

THE POLITICAL DIVERSITY OF THE POLITICIANS INVOLVED, HOWEVER, SEEMS TO MAKE THE POSSIBILITY OF FRUITFUL COLLABORATION AMONG THEM SLIM.

KARAMANLIS IS NOT WHOLLY ANATHEMA TO THE GREEK JUNTA, BUT THOSE WITH WHOM HE PROPOSES TO ASSOCIATE ARE. ANY ORGANIZATION IN WHICH THEY WERE INVOLVED WOULD BE VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED BY ATHENS AND POLITICAL ACTIVITY ON THEIR BEHALF WOULD BE SUPPRESSED.

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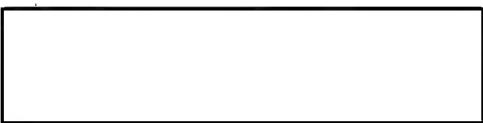
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